

~~cooperates with the control unit to produce a detection signal in response to the detection of an incoming communication.~~

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²² 72. (New) A system according to claim ²¹ 71, wherein the software cooperates with the control unit to generate an alert message displayed on the display device in response to the detection signal.

²³ 73. (New) A system according to claim ²² 72, wherein the control unit receives at least one of an answer coordination instruction and a decline coordination instruction from a user of the system in response to the alert message; and in response to the answer coordination instruction, the software cooperates with the control unit to coordinate the receiving of the incoming communication.

REMARKS

Entry of the instant Supplemental Preliminary Amendment prior to examination is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

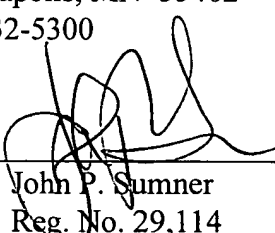
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